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G. V. G. & N. RAILROAD,

TIME TABLE:

Between BOWIE and GLOBE.
Time Card No. 19, cancelling Timd Card No 18. Tkaing effect Jan. 16th, at 6. a. m.
MOUNTAIN TIME.

No. 11.				No. 12
9:00 a.m		Lv	Globe	‡ Ar 6:30 p.m.
9:40 a. m		Lv	Cutter	‡ Ar 5:20 a. m
9:52 a. m		Ar	Gilson's	‡ Lv a. m / Ar 5:00 a. m
a. m		Lv		
	m	Lv	Rice ‡	Lv a. m / Ar 4:20 a. m
a. m		Lv		
10 52 a. m		Ar.	San Carlos	Lv 3 35 p. m
10 57 a. m		Lv.		Ar 3 25 p. m
11 30 p. m			Dewey ‡	2 45 p.m
12 17 p. m		Ar.	Geronimo	Lv. 2 00 p.m
1 50 p.m		Lv		Ar. 1 00 p.m
2 10 p.m		Ar.	Fort Thomas ‡	Ar. Lv 12 35p.m
p.m		Lv.		
2 40 p.m		Lv.	Mathewsville ‡	Lv 12 00.am
2 52 p.m		Ar.	Pima ‡	Lv. Ar 11 40.am
p.m		Lv.		
3 05 p.m		Lv.	Central ‡	Lv 11 30.am
3 15 p.m		Lv.	Thatcher ‡	Lv. 11 20am
3 25 p.m		Ar.	Safford ‡	Lv 11 00.am
3 35 p.m		Lv.		Ar 10 40.am
3 58 p.m		Ar.	Solomon ‡	Lv 10 22 am
4 00 p.m		Lv.		Ar 10 12.am
4 30 p.m		Lv.	Rail N Ranch ‡	Lv. 9 44am
4 50 p.m		Lv.	20 Mile Tank ‡	Lv 9 27.a.m
5 00 p.m		Lv.	Bailey's Wells ‡	Lv 9 20.am
5 35 p.m		Lv.	Summit Spur ‡	Lv. 9 00.a.m
6 05 p m		Ar.	Bowie ‡	Lv. 8 30.am

Trains Nos. 11 and 12 run daily except Sunday, making close connections at Bowie with Southern Pacific [illegible] both [illegible] and with stage lines at Globe to Payson, Upper Salt River Valley, Riverside and Tonto Basin.

All south bound trains have absolute right of track over all north bound trains of same or inferior class.

‡ Stations have no agents.
§ Telegraph stations
The Company reserves the right to vary this schedule as circumstances may require.

WM. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No. Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1895	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m		1	†Lds'burg†		10 20a m
1 00 p m	30	2	†Summit †	20	9 20a m
2 00 p m	40	3	At Duncan†	20	8 20a m
2 10 p m	....	..	Lv Duncan†	...	8 10a m
2 35 p m	47	4	e † Sheld'n†	7	7 45a m
3 48 p m	50	5	e † Yorks †	3	7 38a m
3 05 p m	55	6	†Coronado †	5	7 25a m
3 25 p m	59	7	†Guthrie †	4	7 10a m
3 55 p m	64	8	e†s Siding †	5	6 45a m
4 00 p m	66	9	†n Siding †	2	6 40a m
4 30 p m	71	10	Ar Clifton †	5	6 15a m

rains run daily except Sunday
Stop on Signal † Leave ‡ Arrive.

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Is prepared to make good false plates from $10.00 up. Teeth positively extracted without pain.

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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interets Picked up Here and There.

L. P. FISHER, NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange Building, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office

WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight $900 a year and expenses—definite bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly $75. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope, Herbert E. Hess, Prest., Dept. M Chicago

Dr. Wish intends starting a drug store at Thatcher.

J. N. Porter was a visitor in town last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. W. E. Lindley, at Groesbeck hotel. tf

Read John Blake's great Saturday bargain offer.

District court will convene in Solomonville next Monday, April 3rd.

Crushed corn always on hand at Z. C. Prina & Co's. mill.

The Board of Supervisors will meet in regular quarterly session next Monday.

Good teams and good buggies at the Groesbeck livery stable. tf,

The other day John Sparks was riding an unruly mule, so he says, and is now walking with crutches.

Don't miss Blake's great slaughter sale Saturday, April 1st.

In an altercation last week over the payment of some surveying Hans. Jorgenson threw A. L. Posey into a water ditch.

Type writer for sale cheap. Apply, Warren Smith, Thatcher.

O. N. Williams and G. W. Murry of Phœnix, arrived in Safford last Manday and will likely buy some land and remain here permanently.

Dr. W. E. Lindley, at Groesbeck hotel. tf

The Solomonville schools closed last Friday, March 25th, with a very commendable concert given in the court house. 25 cts. admission was charged which will be used toward paying for a bell.

FRESH DRUGS AND NOTIONS, SCHOOL BOOKS AND FRESH CANDY AT DR. CASSELS DRUG STORE, SAFFORD.

Southee & Austin, Safford's confectioner, have received $200 worth of fine fresh candy of all kinds this week, also a supply of cocoa nuts just as they were plucked from the trees.

Ijams & Co. are now prepaired to drive casing from the top of the ground. tf.

Dr. and Mrs A. E Print, of Birmingham, Ala. son-in-law and daughter of A. L. Posey, arrived in Safford on Wednesday of last week. Dr. Print expects to make a home in the valley and will practice his profession here.

First-class mare for sale. Inquire of Evans & Ellsworth, Safford. tf.

L. C. Gilson, has sold out his ranch located just this side of Globe and is now in Safford looking for a home. Mr. Gilson has become tired of of ranch life and is in the future going to live in the city.

Although the trees are in full bloom and leaf, the fields waving with grain and grass, yet during the rain storm last Sunday night quit a heavy fall of snow occured on Mt. Graham. No damaging frost followed, however.

Don't miss Blake's great slaughter sale Saturday, April 1st. Read his advertisement in another column of this paper.

If you have a cough, throat irritation, weak lungs, pain in the chest, difficult breathing, croup or hoarseness, let us suggest One Minute Cough Cure. Always reliable and safe. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

As the days go by Austen's barber shop becomes more and more popular. It is equipped in the latest style and Mr. Austen is an artist in his profession. His bath room is also in great demand as it is fitted up in the most convenient fashion.

When you want to take your girl for a buggy ride get your rig from the Groesbeck livery stable. tf.

In another column of this weeks GUARDIAN will be found the advertisement of A. M. Elias of Solomonville. Mr. Elias is one of the most progressive business men of the county; as well as one of the most successful. His stock of goods is alwasy carefully selected and complete.

FROM CLIFTON.

(Special Correspondence.)

In this immediate section copious rains have recently fallen relieving wide spread apprehension that the range would be short and stock suffer before the summer rainy season. The Frisco, which has been unusually low for this season of the year, is slightly raised. All apprehensions of a spring freshet, from the rapid melting of snow in the mountains have passed, but the almost unprecedented fall of snow last winter insures an abundant supply of water in the valley in the summer months and obviates the necessity for the usual crop of injunction suits and irrigation litigation which are sometimes the outcome of scarcity of water.

Last week a corps of surveyors started from Morenci and were carefully working down the canyon toward the Frisco. It is supposed the Detroit Copper company was having a survey made for the talked of railroad from Morenci to the G. V. G. & N.

A private enterprise to supply Morenci with pure, fresh, uncontaminated water from Eagle Creek is about completed. Pipes have been laid from Eagle all through Morenci and the requisite machinery is being put in place and in a few weeks that camp will be supplied with an abundance of wholesome water, at a cost to the consumers almost nominal. At present all the water used in Morenci for domestic and mechanical purposes, passes down the Frisco, through Clifton and the works of the A. C. Co. and is forced a distance of three miles into tanks from which it is conveyed in casks and bags on burro-back to the habitations of the citizens of the camp. The cost of bringing water from Eagle will be about one hundred thousand dollars and the investment will be one of the most profitable propositions in the territory, and the projectors of the enterprise have struck it rich under the auspices of Mr. Bull, late of Los Cruces,

A printing plant has been established in this place from which a democratic weekly paper will soon issue to be called the Copper Era.

Last Saturday at the election for school trustees 125 votes were cast of which Hon. C. M. Shannon received a large majority, and he, with Messrs. Hill and Hagan will direct the affairs of the schools in Clifton for the ensuing year. It is significant of good results when such citizens consent to serve as school trustees.

One evening last week Dick Morris and Martin Jacobson came into town looking for work. The next morning before they had made known their wishes, they were accosted by a "boss" who inquired if they wanted work, and before the 7 o'clock whistle blew they were both on the pay roll of the company.

W. B. Kelly, of the *Bulletin*, has been in town several days rustling for his paper and explaining some of the inwardness and outwardness of the late law making body. Some of the doings of that legislature and the action of Gov. Murphy will be treasured up for future use. At one time there was quite a large and influential populistic element in this camp—some of them are here yet and good citizens. The initiative and referendum is dear to the heart of a true populist. The Republicans inserted it as a plank in their late territorial platform to catch the popular ear. A Democratic legislature would make it a law but a Republican governor placed upon it the seal of his condemnation. In so doing the governor may have been as honest as when he vetoed the boleta bill but certainly not politic from a political point of view. X

A MURDER IN SAFFORD.

On April First.

We will sell for the one day only, for spot cash:

22 yards L L sheeting for $1.00. All calico, 20 yards for $1.00. A large line of slippers will be sold at cost on that day. 16 yards Head of all Bleech for $1.00. 20 chieviot for $1.00. 9 yards blue shirting for $1 00.

Thread, J. P. Coat's best, 45 cts. per dozen. 25 per cent off on hats. 10 per cent off on all shoes. Ladies 15 cent hose for 10 cts.

Remember only for one day.

Remember the place to buy goods Saturday, April 1st, 1899.

J. T. OWENS.

Happy is the man or woman who can eat a good hearty meal without suffering afterward. If you cannot do it take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat, and cures all forms of Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

Wm. Starks has sold his residence and ranch to Wm. Todd. Mr. Todd and family will make their home here.

ON THE RAILROAD TRAIN.

Supt. Ben Jones made an inspection trip to Bowie, Monday returning Tuesday.

Captain N. J. Nicholson of San Carlos went to Ft. Grant Monday. He went to pack up his house hold furniture for shipment to San Carlos, where he has been appointed U. S. Indian Agent.

Dr. Shillock and wife of Ft. Grant, returned home Monday from San Carlos, where they had been visitiug friends for several days.

Geo. A. Mintz of the Globe Times returned from Phœnix Wednesday after a two weeks visit with his family.

James F. Patton, one of Globe's prosperous merchants made a business trip to Ft. Thomas last Tuesday. He was accompained by his eldest daughter, Miss Fannie, who came along just to see how fast the cars could run.

Chas. Carlin has resigned as brakeman on the G. V. G. & N. having accepted a position on a road in Ohio.

Philip Contezon returned to Tuscon last Tuesday. The past two weeks he has been employed by the Spenazuma Mining Co. surveying mines, millsights, etc.

Alonzo Bailey of Globe passed through Safford on Monday. He went for a visit of a couple of weeks with his family who are all in Los Angeles.

H. E. Dunlap editor of the Range News accompanied by his wife and little daughter passed through to Globe last Friday retuaning on Monday.

Geo. Cluff came in Monday bringing a car of cattle from Tempe for Baylor Shannon. George wields the "gourd stick" with as much skill as Aguinaldo does a machette.

J Miller representing Dick Fleisher's cigars of Nogales is in the valley.

Gus Heyman the popular drummer and prince of good fellows was among the passengers for Globe this week.

Alex Durwood who was for years with the L. W. Blinn Lumber Co. in Tombstone and now with the same company in Banning Cal came into the valley last Saturday and went on to Globe Monday.

Hon. W. H. Barnes of Tuscon visited Solomonville last Saturday He came to inspect the tax records of Graham county.

E. F. Kellner passed through Safford Saturday on his way to Phœnix.

Pres. Wm. Garland returned to Los Angeles Saturday.

Prof. Emil Maeser and wife took a ride on the cars last Monday. They made a flying trip from Thatcher to Pima and return.

The Gila county representatives did not return as was reported in last week's GUARDIAN, and their whereabouts has been the cause of most anxious solicitation on the part of their friends. Hon. John Evans returned Thursday. He reports that they were smuggled into the land of manana, finally winding up at Guaymas. There they had a jolly time and soon gained the respect of their entertainers by adopting their customs. Instinct served to guide them most of the while, yet Mr. Evans says at one time they actually required the aid of a compass to locate themselves. He thinks Hunt still has the compass, if so it will be on exhibition when that gentleman returns. Mr. Hunt is expected home on Saturday.

For frost bites, burns, indolent sores; eczema, skin disease, and especially piles, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve stands first and best. Look out for dishonest people who try to imitate and counterfeit it. It's their endorsement of a good article. Worthless goods are not imitated. Get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

Kicked in the Face.

Last Tuesday morning while Mr. C. Madsen was hitching up a team one of the horses kicked him laying several inches of the left side of his face open. Dr. Lindley sewed up and dressed the wound, and while it is a very ugly and painful wound it is not dangerous.

Brick Kiln Afire.

To-day Smith & Morris fired their new brick kiln and in about ten days new pressed brick of the finest and best quality may be had from these gentlemen at reasonable prices.

Dr. Lindley returned home last Monday from a ten day's professional visit to the east end of Graham county and western New Mexico.

WHAT HE DESERVED

James Pursley Wings a Burglar.

About three 3 o'clock yesterday morning James Pursley was awakened by some one moving around in the house. He went quietly to F. W. Hayes' room and told him to remain in the house, while he, Pursley, went outside, and in that way they would catch the burglar

The midnight prowler must have heard Mr. Pursley, for when he got outside two men were just going around the corner of the house, Jim opened fire on them and started in pursuit. When the men reached the wood pile Mr. Pursley fired another shot, which must have taken effect for one of the men jumped and yelled, and in the morning blood was found on the wood. They gained entrance to the house through a window. No positive clue has yet been obtained as to the identity of the burglars.

BARGAIN OFFER!

Slaughter Sale!!

SATURDAY, APRIL, 1st.

One Day Only.

John Blake will sell for cash 20 yards Domestic for $1.00 or any number of yards at .05c. per yard.

Just received, a large line of Ginghams, "Everetts Classics," regular price .10c. per yard, will sell at this sale for .07c. per yard.

Also a large and choice line of "Dundee percales" regular price .10c. will sell at this sale for eight and one-third cts. per yard.

Shoes at actual cost.

14 pounds of sugar for $1.00.

All other goods in the store will be sold on Saturday, April 1st at corresponding figures.

Bargains in everything.

Don't forget the day nor place. John Blake's bargain cash sale. Saturday, April 1st.

A Shooting Affair.

A shooting affray took place in the Owl saloon, on Wednesday evening last between Wm. Corbett, a miner and R. L. Stegall, a faro dealer. It seems that the trouble started on Tuesday while Corbett was playing at the faro game run by Stegall. And, so it is stated, after roundly abusing Stegall, Corbett left the table threatening to do Stegall. On yesterday afternoon Corbett returned to the table kept by Stegall and renewed his threatening and abusive language. Stegall did not wait for the other man to execute his threats but acted the offensive, by striking Corbett over the head with the butt of a billiard cue, breaking it in two without effect. The men then clinched and Corbett grabbed Stegall by the throat. As both were powerful men it was some moments before either had the advantage, and before bystanders could intervene Stegall drew his gun and shot, the bullet penetrating the fleshy part of the shooter's left hand first and then striking Corbett in the left cheek inflicting an ugly wound. Deputy Marshall Ben brook arrived on the scene in time to prevent any further gun play, and taking charge of the gun and belligerants, marched them up to the county jail and the prisoners to have their wounds dressed.

Stegall was bailed out by his friends; and Corbett is now in the hands of the warden of the county hospital. Both men will have a hearing before the justice court.—Globe *Belt*

Yellow Jaundice Cured.

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and all to no avail. Dr. Bell, our druggist, recommended Electric Bitters; and after taking two bottles, I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am greatfully yours, M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky." Sold by all dealers in medicine.

BORN.

LAYTON—On March 25th, 1899, to the wife of Chas. M. Layton, of Thatcher, a daughter.

CURTIS:—On March 29 1899, to the wife of A. J. Curtis, of Thatcher, a son.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggest handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Whigtman, Pima. 1m

Look for Blake's great bargain offer as advertised in another column of this paper.

THE JURYMEN.

Grand Jurors Summonsed for April 10, And Trial Jurors for the 12th,—Civil Docket Will be run Over Next Week

GRAND JURY.

Peter Anderson,	C. M. Shannon
J. E. Allen,	Henry Lines
Jas. R. Lassator,	C. M. Layton
Geo. P. Jacobson,	Jas. Calquhoun
Abner Chestley	John Blake
Dan Lynch,	W. W. Damron
Warner Bingham,	H. J. Dowdle
Jas. H. Mack,	E. T. Ijams
Alex Hunt,	E. M. Curtis
Isaac Follett,	Chas. M. Francis

TRIAL JURORS.

Oscar Webster	J. E. Westover
E. C. Phillips,	W. H. Wills
J. T. Tong,	J. T. Talley
Remaldo Elias,	Pompio Jaime
L. D. Dunagan,	M. M. Smith
H. J. Shifflet,	B. E. Parks
H. S. VanGorden	Alva Porter
Ben F. Peel,	H. H. Nutting
I. P Robinson,	J. H. Saline
J. N. Porter,	Joe. A. Terrell
Harden Stockton	J. F. Nickols
D. W. Weech,	R. A. Smith
Jas. R. Welker,	Sherman Stewart
W. A. Starks,	Benj Perkins
G. W. Williams,	Fred Webb
J. W. Poorman,	A. H. Packer
E. P. Bryce,	E. T. Patterson
S. J. Simpson,	A. D. Welker

SHOOTING AT YUMA.

Billy Martin Shoots a Man who Ruined his Daughter.

News reached Tucson yesterday of a sensational shooting which occurred at Yuma on Saturday evening. A brakeman of the Southern Pacific was a witness of the affair. He said that County Recorder Marvin was the man who did the shooting, but the man who he shot was not known to him.

The report which come from Yuma says that Marvin's daughter was outraged by a man well along in years, and Marvin as soon as he heard the story told by his daughter hunted up the old man and shot him. Marvin gave himself up to the authorities.—*Citizen.*

School Election.

Following are the names of school trustees elected in Graham county so far as heard from:

Safford, E. T. Ijams. The election was called for the election of two, one of the old members having been appointed last year. All but nine ballots cast were for two trustees, but after the pools closed the election board declared that only one could be elected under the law and all but nine ballots were thrown out, Mr. Ijams receiving 7 straight votes.

Thatcher, same condition as Safford, two members were elected, E. M. Curtis and H. Brinkerhoff.

Solomonville was satisfied with the old board and held no election.

At San Jose, we are told are 23 persons who are fully qualified for the duties of school trustees, yet Jesus Garcia, Cassimero Garcia and Abelino Mejia were elected, neither one of whom can read or write English, and one is said not to even live in the district.

School Trustees Take Notice.

Having received a number of letters making inquiry concerning the disposal of money remaing on hand at the end of the school year, I answer by quoting section 106 subdivision 4, page 30, school laws of Arizona, which reads as follows:

"All school money remaining on hand at the close of the year, to the credit of any district or in the reserve fund, after making the apportionment as heretofore required shall remain to the credit of such district for the ensuing year or years."

If school trustees and teachers would consult their copy of school laws (those who haven't one can obtain one on application to the County Superintendent) more frequently, they would generally obtain the information desired and avoid wasting stamps, stationery and time in addressing lengthy interrogatives to the County Superintendant.

WM. A. MOODY,
County Supt. of School.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY,

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free

F. J. CHENEY & co., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's family pills are the best. *

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

M. E. Church.

There will be Easter services in the M. E. Church next Sunday morning and evening. The young people will have charge of the singing in the morning and a short address will be delivered on "Heaven." In the evening the exercises will consist of songs and chourses, responsive reading and a brief address on "How to get to Heaven." Every body come and hear the young folks.

Rev. E. O. McIntier will commence a series of meetings in the M. E. Church April 5th and continue about ten days. Rev. McIntier is the minister at Globe and has the reputation of being one of ablest preachers in the west. Every body should hear him.

ACADEMY COLUMN.

Edited by the Students of Latter Day Saints' Academy

The library is now being endowed with many choice books of history, scienic and literature. The following books were presented to the library this week: Pholosophy of Education, and Elements of Civil Government by Emil Maeser. Under Two Flags, Editor John J. Birdno; History of the World, John Bowler; Life of Elizabeth, Queen of England, Maud Pace; Seaside and Wayside, Nature's Study, and German Chemestry, Instructor John Nash.

The circular for next school year is now in the printer's hands, and will be ready for destribution soon.

A photograph of the students and study room was taken by Miss Sarah Allred.

The Polysophical society will not meet Friday evening on account of the party to be given in Robinson's hall in honor of Elder R. W. Smith.

Elder R. A. Allred visited the Academy Wednesday.

Subject in pedogogics "Free Schools," "Compulsary Education."

The students in German are getting along nicely. They have committed several verses to memory.

A review has been taken in several of the classes this week.

Subject in Theology for Tuesday's lesson was "The Sabbath Day."

Program for Normal Day. Excises to be held in the Academy, May 4, 1899, 10 a. m.

Class song; Invocation, Chaplan; Class history, John Nash; Instrumental selection, Nettie Jones; Poem, Maud Pace; Song, Academy Glee Club; Recitation, Miss Boice; Song, Nellie Robinson and others; Oration, Preshie Posey; Class Humor, D. H. Major; Song, Wm. Asay; Music, Orchestra; Song Academy Glee Club; Class prognostication, Miss Montierth; Original song, P. H. McBride.

All are cordially invited to attend the Normal exercises.

The students of the rhetoric class are writing biographies. They wrote autobiographies last week. Many humerous incidents and the first appearance of recognized traits of character's were admirably related.

The Normal class will present a comdey, "The afflicted Family" in the Academy April 7th, 1899. General admission 10c.

The Book of Mormon class is studying the Book of Helaman.

The students in book keeping are exercising their business ability by writing time and sight drafts and posting up their accounts.

Program for commercial Day exercises to be held in the Academy May 4th, 1899, at 2 p. m:

Glee, Academy Glee Club; Invocation, Chaplan; Address of welcome, R. A. Allred; Music, Mrs. Maeser; Oration, May Curtis, Class history, Jos. Carpenter; Song, Lottie Layton; Class humor, Oliver Larson; Recitation, Ella Birdno; Class poem, Pearl McBride; Music, Amelia Cluff; Class prognostication, Hyrum Brinkerhoff; Glee, Academy Glee Club.

An entertainment will be given by the Academy at Safford, April 1. Solomonville, Tuesday, May 4, Pima, May 8.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering from rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me" For sale by all dealers in medicine*

Don't forget the farewell party to be given Warren Smith to-night in Robinson's hall. The very best of music will be in attendance and an excellent time is anticipated.

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THE GUARDIAN'S job room is now the best equipped in the county with all the latest styles of stationery.

WE would advise some people in Safford to do a lot of hard thinking on the above paragraph and profit thereby before it is too late.

THE Telephone Company expect to put in new swith boards at Thatcher and Pima in a few days, also several new instruments in each of those towns, besides extending the line on to Matthewsville. As soon as this is done the construction of the line to Clifton will commence.

THE *Bulletin* continues to howl about woman suffrage. The bill did not pass which ought to quiet Bro. Kelly's nerves so far as the county seat is concerned for at least the next two years. Our advice is to take things quietly, because if you keep up your present tirade you will exhaust your energies before the real contest comes.

MURPHY'S pocket veto of the initiative and referendum, passed by both houses of the legislature, was certainly the most high handed piece of work during the session of the legislature, and must make those populists feel good who voted for Republicans because the party was pledged by its platform to enact into law the initiative and referendum. It's too late now to say I told you so, but look out next time.

OUR advise to country weeklies and small city dailies, or such of them as have been struggling with their inclination to reduce subscription rates, advertising rates and almost everything they have about the shop, is to hold off just a little while longer. They may have had their ardor cooled a trifle by the type trust, the paper trust, the envelope trust, but just wait till the ready-print and new-plate trusts swing their terrible lefts into the country editors' jaws! If your subscription rate has been $2.00, hold on like grim death. You'll need it all—before these days of trusts are over.—*The Caveat.*

THE House of Representatives of the present Congress has passed 1,635 bills and resolutions against 1,200 by the Fifty-fourth, 951 by the Fifty-third, and 892 by the Fifty-second Congresses, respectively. The work of the House for its three sessions appears as a new and valuable feature of the House calendar. This covers a recapitulation of the entire work, and an appendix of over fifty pages giving the status of every bill that has been reported to the House during the last two years. Under the title "Army," forty-two distinct mearsures are given. It presents at a glance full information on all the House has done on any subject. The appendix, index etc., were prepared by Tally Clerk Wakefield, of the House staff.

INSPECTION WAS A FARCE

The Beef Inquiry Board In Chicago—Damaging Testimony is Given Against the Packers.

The present beef inquiry by the War Department has shown at least two things—that the commissary department of the army was lamentably weak during the late war, and that the government system of inspection of meat and cattle is deficient and a makeshift at the best. While Major Lee, representing General Miles, has not yet definitely shown that the beef furnished the troops by the Chicago packers was in any way "chemicalized," his examination of witnesses, as well as that of Judge Advocate Davis, has brought out the fact that the buisness management of the army and the so-called meat inpection by the government were almost hopelessly bad.

The commission has satisfied itself on another point—there is no such thing as canned roast beef. It is canned boiled beef, but no one in the commissary departmnet seemed to know it.

Another point was brought out in Chicago that created a great deal of surprise. This was that it was possible for the condemned carcasses of animals to get from the tanks to which they were sent to the outside, where they could be sold for meat; that uninspected carcasses could get into the canning department of the packing houses; but the inspectors on the stand did not know of cases where such thing had happened.

Inspector N. A. Bruelt testified that he understood that horses were being slaughtered for beef in Chicago, one establishment being just south of the city, but as it was not under government inspection he could say nothing about it. The law does not require the inspectors to inspect the canning departments, and therefore he could not say anything about them. He did not know that chemicals were used, but he had seen salt, saltpetre borax and syrups used on beef. The testimony of the United States government inspectors seemed more interesting from what they did not know and did not see than from what actually came under their supervision.

BEEF IN FILTHY WAGONS.

Some of the testimony before the Inquiry Board was startling. Lieut. Col. Charles G. Sharpe, chief commissary of the great camp at Chickamauga, among other things asserted that "the soldiers' beef at Chickamauga was transported from the depot to the camp in wagons reeking with filth."

He added that it had been ordered that straw should be put upon the bottom af the wagons and that the wagons should be covered to keep off the sun, but these orders were never obeyed.

"The wagons were used in the policing of the camp," Lieutnant Colonel Sharpe said. "They were unwashed, the bottoms thick with garbage, yet without any hay or straw, were sent for the beef. The beef was taken through the hot sun with no covering. In cases which fell under my peronal observation I refused to issue any beef to wagons in such condition. Complaints came in that beef which had stood in the sun for hours in those wagons had spoiled. A complaint was received about a load of beef filled with vermin. I examined the beef, and found it in a garbage wagon thick with filth and swarming with the vermin generated in that slime."

"What did they do with it?," asked Colonel Davis.

"I had it washed, put in the cooler over night and told them to give it to another regiment, with an explanation of the circumstances. If that regiment did not want it, I directed that other meat be issued in its place."

This meat came from the houses of Chicago packers.

"I served canned roast beef during the whole campaign," Lieut. Colonel Sharpe further testified, "and heard many complaints that it was unpalatable, but as it was an army ration by regulation I continued to serve it. I supplemented by local cattle, which the men complained of as much as the canned meat."

Cross examination brought out the fact that in American armies it has always been the practice to supply troops on the march with cattle driven along, and never before with refrigerated or canned roast beef. No fault attached to the beef contrastors, the witness said, in this crowning horror of Camp Thomas daily life. He said the regimental commissaries were responsible for the sickening condition of the wagons and the shape in which the beef at last reached the unhappy volunteers.

The evidence of Lieutenant Col. Sharpe was heard with silence, and with faces that showed surprise and consternation even among the old warriors who composed the Board of Inquiry.

CONDEMNED MEAT SOLD.

Evidence tending to support the charge that the carcasses of condemned cattle thrown into the rendering tanks at the stock yards packing houses under the eye of a government inspector and supposed to be reduced to a fertilizing substance were really taken from the tanks while the inspector was away, and sold in the local market, was given by Dr. W. S. Devoe, inspector in charge of the Bureau of Animal Industries, under a severe cross-examination by Major Lee, representing General Miles. Dr. Devoe, who was a traveling inspector of the Bureau of Animal Industries in 1894, came here to investigate complaints made at Washington that bottomless tanks were being used, apparently as rendering tanks, and the condemned beef taken from them.

"I found," said the doctor, "that in a certain house diseased meat was removed from the top of a rendering tank after it had been placed there for destruction. This was done by lowering a man through the hole in the top of the tank by means of a rope and having him attach ropes to the carcasses so they could be taken out. The beef so removed was sold in the local Chicago market. This information came first through discharged emplyes, but I found that very unsatifactory. From men who were still at the work I learned satisfactorily that it was correct."

"Did any prosecution follow?"

"Yes, sir."

"What house was this found in?"

Objection was made to this question.

Then Major Lee questioned the the doctor about canned beef furnished the soldiers.

"Is it not a fact," Major Lee asked, "that this beef is 'chuck,' the cheapest grade of meat on the animal?"

"It is," replied Dr. Devoe.

"What is it worth?"

"From three to four cents a pound."

"And is it not from the cheapest and poorest cattle in the market?"

"It is," was the reply, and Major Lee smiled and made a note of it.

According to Major Smith who for nine days had charge of the beef issue at Santiago last July, beef came in refrigerator ship and was of the finest quality. The brigade and division commissaries were supposed to transfer the meat to the camps, and to do so wtihout delay. Instead of so doing, the wagons were allowed to stand for hours in the heat of a Cuban day.

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That we J. T. Owens, C. A. Owens and A. E. Jacobson, all of Graham County, Arizona, have this day associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of Arizona Territory and we hereby certify:

1st. The names of the incorporators are J. T. Owens, C. A. Owens and A. E. Jacobson, and the name of the corporation is and shall be the Great Western Milling Company, and its principal place of business is Safford, Graham County, Arizona Territory, until otherwise directed by the stock-holders of said corporation.

2nd. The general nature of the business proposed to be transacted by said company is building, erecting and equipping flouring and grist mills, and the operation and control of the same in all branches. The buying and selling of all kinds of grain and milling produce. The manufacture and sale of flour, bran, shorts and all other mill products, and for the buying and selling of all kinds of farm produce.

3rd. The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be Twenty Thousand Dollars divided into 2000 shares of the par value of $10.00 each to be paid as called for from time to time by the Board of Directors of said corporation.

4th. The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the day of the filing of these articles of incorporation for record in the office of the county recorder of said Graham County, Arizona, and the corporation shall continue for the term of fifty years therefrom.

5th. The affairs of said corporation shall be under the control of, and conducted by a Board of Directors consisting of Three shareholders in said corporation, who shall be chosen annually on the third Monday in February of each year, by the shareholders of said corporation; said Board of Directors so chosen shall elect a president, a secretary, and a treasurer.

6th. The shareholders at any regular or called meeting thereof shall have power by majority vote of the stock represented at such meetings to make, establish, alter, change or abolish, rules and by-laws for the proper conduct and management of said corporation.

7th. The private property of the stockholders of said corporation shall be exempt from all corporate debts.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 8th, day of February, 1899.

J. T. OWENS, [Seal]
C. A. OWENS, [Seal]
A. E. JACOBSON, [Seal]

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, COUNTY OF GRAHAM } ss

This day before me, R. S. Patterson, a notary public, in and for the county of Graham, Arizona Territory, personally appeared the within named J. T. Owens, C. A. Owens and A. E. Jacobson, known to me to be the persons named in and who executed the within instrument, and who acknowledged to me that they, each of them, executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and notorial seal this 8th day of February 1899,

(SEAL) R. S. PATTERSON, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 27th, 1901.

Certificate of Incorporation of "THE ARIZONA COPPER SMELTING COMPANY."

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that we, Ulysses G. Rogers, of the Borough of Manhattan and City of New York, James F. Fielder and James E. Pyle, of Jersey City, in the County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, do hereby associate ourselves into a corporation under and by virtue of the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled, "An Act Concerning Corporation, Revision of 1896" and the several supplements thereto and Acts amendatary thereof, for the purposes hereinafter mentioned and to that end, we do by this our certificate set forth.

FIRST: That the name we have assumed to designate such corporation and to be used in its business and dealings is

"THE ARIZONA COPPER SMELTING COMPANY."

SECOND: The location of the principal office of said corporation in the State of New Jersey is at No 76 Montgomery Street, in Jersey City, County of Hudson. The name of the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process against such Corporation may be served is William Brinkerhoff.

THIRD: The objects for which this corporation is formed are to mine and smelt gold, silver and copper ores; to buy and sell gold and silver and copper ores; to operate and purchase and sell mines and to do and erect and otherwise acquire smelting works, machinery and buildings and to establish, maintain and operate warehouses, agencies and depots in connection with the objects of said corporation, and to do and carry on a general merchandising and store business and to do any and all contributory and auxilary branches of mining, smelting and general merchandising business. This corporation shall also have power to conduct its business or any portion of it outside of the the State of New Jersey and in all other states, territories, colonies and dependencies of the United States of America, and in Great Britain and Canada and all other foreign countries, and to have one or more officers outside of the State of New Jersey and to hold, purchase, lease, mortgage and convey real and personal property out of the State of New Jersey as well as in said State.

FOURTH: The total amount of the authorized capital stock of the corporation is one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each. The amount with which it will commence business is one thousand dollars.

FIFTH; The names and post-office addresses of the incorporators and the number of shares subscribed for each, the aggregate of such subscriptions being the amount of the capital stock with which this company will commence business are as follows:

Ulysses G. Rogers, 76 Montgomery Street, Jersey City, N J, eight shares.

James F. Fielder, 76 Montgomery Street, Jersey City, N J, one share.

James E. Pyle, 76 Montgomery Street, Jersey City, N J, one share.

SIXTH: The extistence of the corporation shall begin on the sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine and shall continue perpetually.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of Wm Brinkerhoff.

ULYSSES G. ROGERS [SEAL]
JAMES F. FIESDER [SEAL]
JAMES E. PYLE [SEAL]

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, COUNTY OF HUDSON, } SS

BE IT REMEMBERED that on this sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine, before me, the subscriber, personally appeared Ulysses G. Rogers, James F. Fielder and James E. Pyle, who I am satisfied are the persons named in and who executed the forgoing certificate, and I have first made known to them the contents thereof they did each acknowledge that they signed, sealed and delivered the same as their voluntary act and deed.

Wm. BRINKERHOFF,
Master in Chancery of New Jersey.

ENDORSED.

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Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

I, GEORGE WURTS, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true copy of the Certificate of incorporation of "The Arizona Copper Smelting Company," and the endorsements thereon, as the same is taken from and compared with the original filed in my office on the 7th day of January, A D, 1899, and now remaining on file therein.

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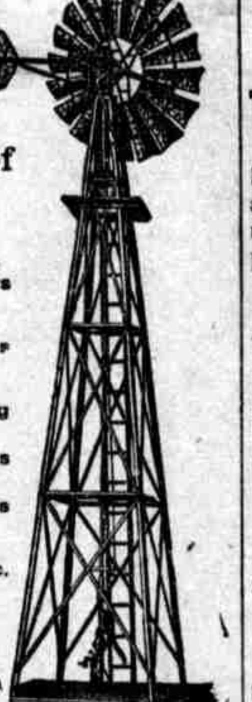

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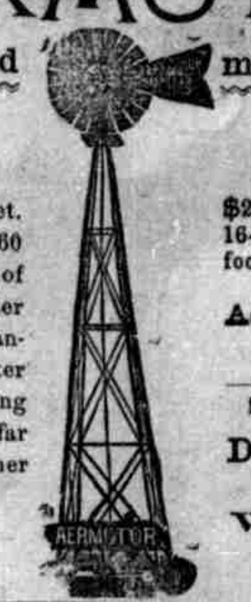

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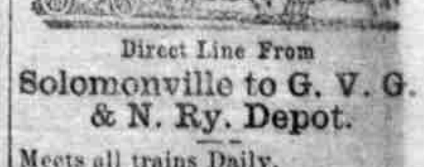

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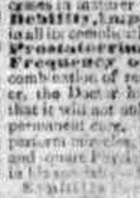

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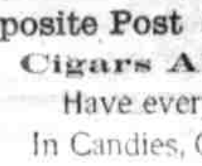

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GIBBS ON MORMONISM.

The following is taken from the Southern (Texas) *Mercury*:

Barnett Gibbs has received a letter from one of the leading women of New York who have formed an anti-polygamy association for the suppression of polygamy and the unseating of Congressman Roberts of Utah. They request the gentleman to become a factor in the matter and ask him to organize anti-polygamy clubs in Texas which elicited the following characteristic reply:

Dallas, Texas, February 24—Dear Madam: Your letter received. I would like to assist in nearly any kind of reform, but in this polygamy matter, I think the committee should first get laws enacted that a man should have his wives all recorded. In texas a man records his cattle brand, or else it don't go. As I understand it, Congressman Roberts has all his wives recorded. In Texas, even in the churches, we have sometimes had great trouble with the men who would not record their wives, and go by the record. Solomon's proportion of concbines to wives don't seem to hold in these days of refined civilization. I thought perhaps when the country was furished with all kinds of blondining apparatus and cosmetics, so a man could have his wife show up different every week, that Mormonism or marriage on the European plan would be checked, but it seems to go on just the same, with some congressmen, preachers, and even mudsillers.

It is a dreadful condition of things, but what is worrying me is the doubt that if we suppress the gentleman from Utah, the evil may go on. In his case, there seems to be what the corporations call vested rights. If we suppress Congressman Roberts and his three wives, what will we do with some of our new American citizens in the Philippines, who have thirty wives? In that country, they don't have even millinery bills as a check on this pernicious habit.

We have no Mormonism in Texas, "eo nomine," and the other kind is so hard to trail down in a state five times as big as New York, that I would rather go up against the 150,000 Texas democratic majority. Old settlers, who were here in the days of the republic tell me that secret Mormonism in Texas is about in statu quo. I might get a plank in the next Texas democratic platform against it, but don't know that they would live up to it. We used to regulate such family matters in Texas by vigilance committees, but we have an advanced civilization now, until I don't believe I could organize one, not even to hang a man for stealing, much less polygamy. Texas is 1100 miles from north to south boundary.

Before the war, by some means, they caught up with a man here who had seven wives, and although some of them were 1000 miles apart, they got them all together and made the man live with them, all in one house. Since then, we have not had many avowed Mormons. If we make a success of this movement, we must be allowed to convict on circumstantial evidence and not be too particular about the circumstances. We must allow wives, singular and plural to testify against the offender, which is not now permitted here.

We have got in Texas 10,000 more criminal laws than God and Moses promulgated, and there are 5000 more bills pending before the present legislature. We allow a man to kiss his wife on Sunday, but not box with his brother in a physical culture way. We have got so many laws that it is easier to be an angel than a law-abiding citizen.

I don't mind helping you all do up Roberts or any other Mormon, as they have no votes in Texas, but if Mr. Hearst goes out after the real thing, he will have a grown man's job. I will agree to see that no man preaches it in Texas, but won't undertake to stop the practice unless I am given the republican campaign fund and the army in the Philippines. On this Mormon question, I am an expansionist, and want to take in every man that talks like one.

Since receiving your letter, I have studied the question not from a scriptural or physiological, but social stand-point. The women can stop this business because if first has nerve, there will be no more in that family. I knew of a case in Arkansas where there was only one wife, and where it was brier patch business to be a republican, and she made her husband one. I don't know much about Mormonism or about Washington City, and my people voted that I was too good to go there, but from what I hear, I am not uneasy about the demoralization of other congressmen by Mr. Roberts. Perhaps a man might be regulated in this matter, if his first wife would keep him broke from the beginning on millinery bills, for Solomon and Roberts and Young all seemed to have been rich. If Wall street keeps cotton down to four cents, I will have a comparatively easy job holding down the Texas Mormons. Four cent cotton is a Mormon exterminator.

We had best keep this reform on a non-partisian basis, so as to work in a proclamation from both McKinley and Bryan which down here has more weight than Paul's famous epistle on the subject. I am enthusiastic, but pestered about the best method to pursue. I was against the present regime on this and many other points.

Has the congressman a red-headed wife? Solomon had 700, but not a red headed one among them. They tell me that a man with a red headed wife never has but one wife. I have gone to work. I told a farmer to-day that Hon. Roberts was going to get in all three of his wives as private secretaries at tax payers' expense, and the way the farmer cussed, makes me willing to bet that the Grapevine precinct goes our way. I see trouble with the social mugwumps, who won't want to go to the root of this evil.

Before we open this campaign, we want to get all the points. When a man has more than one wife, the New York insurance companies ought not to allow him to take out a policy on any of their lives; and if he marries them in Texas, it would be a good business not to allow any on his own. The ramifications of this question are numerous, but I am somewhat of a veteran, as I have fought both republicans and democrats to a finish.

Can't we get on our side the men and papers who got up the embalmed beef racket? Get Mr. Hearst to have a picture or two of Congressman Roberts' wives beating the third one and she beating the Congressman for paying for a better spring hat for one than for the other. A campaign lie well illustrated is next to campaign funds. I guess we anti-polygamy people are mostly poor, as reformers generally are.

They tell me these priests are easily spotted, as they are always looking around for another wife. The New York headquarters must tell us how to catch them and what to do with them. How does Governor Roosevelt stand on this issue? I would have been a rough rider, but was afraid our people over in Cuba wouldn't get any kind of beef, like the Confederates at Vicksburg.

When we get through at Washington City, what will the league do in the Philippines? Maybe they can stop it there by killing all the husbands. I am willing to tote my own skillet in this fight, but I would like to know who is toting the "rocks," necessary in every successful campaign. On the right basis I am willing to obey orders and give your committee the glory. Could we amend the constitution and charters, so as not to allow any man to hold office or a government contract who is suspicioned of haviny more than one wife, recorded or un-recorded? This move would be a deadener. One weakness must be played against the other. I shall continue to theorize on the question and await orders.

Yours for reform,

Barnett Gibbs.

P. S. Can't we pack the next census appointments, or are these people too strong in Washington City? How is Puck on this issue? I will ask the legislature to include the Mormons in the anti prairie dog and anti-Johnson grass bill and if there is any here, unless their sin is too secret, a government bounty will get 'em—I think I am on the trail of one of those secret missionaries who has been telling our people in Hawley's district, that the more wives a man has, the more cotton goods he will buy and the higher cotton will go in price. I suppose by this the the more wives a man has, the easier living becomes.

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FIFTY CHICKENS VS. ONE COW.

Comparative Profit of these Branches of Farming.

Pittsburg Dispatch.

An interesting discussion has een going on regarding the relative profit to be derived from a given number of chickens and a given number of cows. While one fancier declares that fifteen hens are more valuable than the average cow, a stout vaccine partisan swears by the beard of the prophet that he can make more from one cow than any man can with 100 hens. The results of experiments made under varying conditions are now useful.

One farmer made a test with fifty chickens and one cow, and gives the result as follows:

Value of milk sold from one cow $144.10; income from fifty hens mostly for eggs sold, $150.81. The cost of keeping the cow was given at $52 while the maintenance of the hens cost $50, and it was estimated that the value of the manure was equal to both. The farmer was greatly in favor of the hens in the matter of lessened labor. Numerous other experiments are reported, if taken in the ratio of fifty to one.

The chief value of the controversy has been to show that no dairy farmer should be without a fair ratio of poultry and no poultry raiser should fail in maintaining the proper number of cows. For small irrigated farms, intensely cultivated, nothing is better able to contribute to the family needs than cows and poultry. As many of each only should be kept, however, as may receive the best care and attention, and pains should be taken to have only those of best blood and lineage.

Right here is where the small well-watered, well-tilled land holding becomes of a higher and better civilization and citizenship. Every thing on such a farm must be of the best, and the man who tills his few home acres as a chemist uses his laboratory to achieve the best results which skill and science can evoke, must necessarily climb to loftier heights, and take his family with him, than he who plods on in the fruitless endeavor to cover area, without any approach to scientific skill, either in cultivation or management.

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Active solicitors wanted everywhere for "The Story of the Philippines" by Murat Halstead commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the roar of battle at the fall of Manila. Bonanza for agents. Brimful of original pictures taken by government photographer on the spot. Large book. Low prices. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy, unofficial war books. Outfit free. Address, F. T. Barber, Secretary, Star Insurance Build'g, Chicago, Illinois.

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J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physician had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

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The Guardian.

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FRIDAY, MARCH, 31, 1899.

Do the streets of Safford need improving?

Does Safford need incorporating?

Does Safford need sidewalks or are we going to take the middle of the road for it the balance of our lives?

The first Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz county held its first meeting in Nogales on March 22nd.

"Probate Judge Scott has successfully married his second couple and now feels assured that he is going to prove a good hand at the business.—Phœnix *Herald*

It ought not to take long to become an expert if he marries two at a time and does it very often.

This very true and pithy assertion is from the Arizona *Gazette*:

"No man other than a fool ever courted a fight with a newspaper, and the egotist who harnessed himself to this burning chariot will learn that he has a warm running mate."

The San Francisco Chroncle says: "Among the chairs that Mr. Rockfeller has endowed this year there are several score in the House of Common." This is not the way we understand it; it wasn't the chairs upon which the manna of endowment fell, but rather the Rockfeller grace leaked into the pockets of the chair-fillers. John D. is a great benefactor.—*Times*

"Such staunch journals as the New York Tribune and the Philadelphia Press are now advocating the removal of all duties, if necessary, upon such articles as are controlled by the trusts, thus leaving the market open to competition of the world."—*Enterprise.*

This would prove a deadener to the trusts and monopolies, but when will it be done?

We have heard complaints lately from Pima concerning water passing under the railroad track and flooding the streets. It seems that in some places boxes have been placed under the road bed to allow the water accumulating on the upper side of the track to escape, but no provision has been made to take care of it after passing under the road bed, the result being that the streets are often flooded. We understand that the city council is about to pass an ordinance to compel the proper care to be taken of this water. If Safford were incorporated a like measure could be easily passed compelling the filling up of that old slimy disease breeding mud hole just south of the railroad in Safford.

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Direct from the manufacturer the following Spring and Summer Goods:

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Samples of Dress Doods sent on application

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The law passed by the late legislature compelling voters to pay their poll tax before registering, we fear contains some weak points that may become dangerous. For while it takes away from the politician, who may be so inclined, the power to buy many votes, it undoubtedly places a powerful weapon in the hands of corporations that may be inclined to control in elections. We don't believe a man will pay the tax in order to vote any quicker than he would for the schooling of his children. On the other hand corporations inclined to boss in politics have a "cinch." They will pay the poll tax of all their employes, as has heretofore been the custom, and while there are plenty to deny it, the fact still remains that a large number of corporations control the vote of their men to a great extent.

The people of Graham county should be greatful to the members of the Board of Supervisors for having at all times refused to pay the back salaries, the payment of which has been so persistently sought after. The final disposition of the case shows that the Board was correct. Our Board was one of the few in the Territory possessing back bone enough to refuse its payment to the last. Of course the position will be taken by those claiming back salaries, that the Legislature had no right to repeal the law. But this will be met by the fact that any law passed by a legislature may be repealed by one. The act of the 19th Legislature in this matter was simply the giving of a present to the back salary claimants anyway.

We understand that the proposition of having a complete county map made is being agitated. The map proposed is to be distinctly marked so as to indicate all patented and unpatented land, also to show all lands now under the canal system as well as that yet subject to irrigation. The map diagram would show each section, subdivided into quarters, etc. It is estimated that such a map would greatly increase the taxable wealth of Graham county, as with such a guide it would be impossible for any taxable land to escape the notice of the assessor and board of equalization. We are told that petitions are now being circulated asking the board of supervisors to investigate the matter and order such a map made.

The usual activity in getting out up-to date job work in the Guardian's job department is just now considerably increased by the fact that we are printing 1000, 32 page books for the Latter Day Saints Academy at Thatcher. In this book will be found a general review of the past history of the Academy, the advantages it offers to students, its officers, principal, teachers, etc., besides a full and complete outline of the work it will accomplish.

Some unknown patriot gets off the following: "I've licked a dozen stamps to-day for telegrams I sent. I licked and stuck one on a bill with which I paid my rent. I licked a stamp to paste upon a note which I renewed, and then I licked another to make the mortgage good. I've licked these to show that I respect my country's will, and now I'd like to lick the man that introduced the bill.

The man who went out to milk and sat down on a boulder in the middle of the pasture and waited for the cow to back up to him was the oldest brother of the man who kept store and did not advertise, because he reasoned, the purchasing public would back up to his place when it wanted something. —Bisbee *Orb.*

In the Justice Court.

One day last week a Mexican went into the Palace saloon with a piece of blanket on his arm, which he laid down somwhere in the saloon. During his stay there someone put his blanket into the stove and burned it up.

Next day he went before Judge Hunter and two warrants were sworn out for the arrest of Lave Cornett and Joe Olney, the proprietors of the saloon. The defendants demanded jury trials. The jury was summoned and on hand Thursday to try one of the cases. District Attorney Rawlins was also requested to be present who, after looking into the matter decided that a conviction would be impossible, and recommended that the case be dismissed which was accordingly done.

Wheat in large quantities is now worth $1.30 delivered in Safford.

Foreign Notes.

England. The Conservative party led by Lord Salisbury is prominent, due to the success of that party's measures.

The back-down of the French over the Fashoda affair was very gratifying. The English have leased Delagoa Bay on the African coast thus out-witting the long headed Kruger, "Oom Paul" as his people call him. The English are very much pleased over the present out-look of the English-American alliance of friendship and the successful out-starting of local self government for Ireland. The major part of the Liberal party under Lord Roseberry have assisted Prime Minester Salisbury in external affairs.

In church of England matters there has been considerable talk about the ritulization methods of some ministers in that church. The charge was made that the Church of England was becoming too much like the Catholic in its ritualism.

France. The death of President Faure, the Dreyfus affair, and the much-feared clash of the civil and military courts, just at a time when the public mind of this country was very much inflamed seemed to invite a coup, and it was thought to be an opportune time for one of the pretenteous princes who were hovering near and supposed to be narrowly watching the political pot to assert his rights but the vigorous French so far seem to be able to take care of themselves with out the assistance of any prince of the royal blood. The civil courts have shown that they are superior to the military, a new president has been elected and the country marches on.

The new president of France, Emile Loubet, was recently the president of the French Senate.

He is a lawer by profession, is a man of letters, is highly respected for his great abilities and for his domestic qualities—great things in the eyes of the French.

Loubet is from the lowly walks of life—is from the Rhone valley in the south eastern part of France and has been in public life for nearly a quarter of a century.

SWEDEN AND NORWAY.

These two nations are under one crown though each has a separate parliament

King Oscar, of Sweden, but king over both countries was seventy years old in January of this year. But, "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown," and recently he turned over the king-ship to his son, Gustave, who is himself over forty years of age. Oscar determined to let the "boy" try his hand awhile in running the kingly office of the ever-bickering dual kingdom. Oscar in Sweden is very highly regarded. He is regarded as a man of *parts*: of great attainments as a statesman, and a man of letters.

The Norwegians, however, looked upon him as belonging more to Sweden than to Norway and would prefer, many of them, to set up house-keeping in a governmental way for themselves.

SPAIN

The Spanish press have recently been talking reform at home, and in cartoons and editorials seem to enjoy with a malicious eye the trouble Uncle Sam is having over his new brat, the Philippines.

Rios, one of the Spanish peace commissioners at Paris, was compelled to resign his place of President of the Spanish Senate, so unpopular had he become by reason of his having signed the treaty. The unfortunate Spanish commanders of their country's fleets at Manila and Santiago have or will be allowed the privelege of explaining before a court martial. Sagasta has gone and a new prime minister has undertaken to form a cabinet.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is herby given* that the firm of P. J. Jacobson & Son, doing business at Safford, Arizona, was on March 20th, 1899, by mutual consent dissolved.

The business of the firm, however, will not be discontinued. P. J. Jacobson will still cantinue in the mercantile business at the old stand.

Geo. Jacobson takes control of the saw mill and will conduct the building material business, both domestic and imported. Geo. Jacobson also assumes all indebtedness of the firm and takes all outstanding accounts. All those knowing themselves indebted to the firm of P. J. Jacobson & Son, are notified to come and make settlement at once. 2t

Before the discovery of One Minute Cough Cure, ministers were greatly disturbed by coughing congregations. No excuse for it now. Safford Drug Co. Safford. H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

Notice to Creditors.

In the Probate Court of Graham county in the Territory of Arizona.
In the matter of the Estate of Wm. M. Critt, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the underaigned administrator of the estate of Wm. M. Critt deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at his residence at Pima, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

Dated, March 31, 1899.

W. W. CROCKETT, Administrator.

LAND FOR SALE BY
BUSS & BIRDNO.
Real Estate Agents, Safford, Ariz.
Land and Water Rights Boughtand Sold.

DESCRIPTIONS.

1st. 160 acres. North side of river, opposite Thatcher. Brick house, grainery, 1 1-2 acres orchard; nearly all cultivated; fenced, plenty water; excellent place for four families.

2nd. 38 acres adjoining Pima on the south. Well situated for division into city lots or will make good farm.

3rd. 5 acres just south of Safford; 4 acres alfalfa, orchard, house; water right in Montezuma canal.

4th. 3 acres across the street from No 3; orchard and vineyard, 1 acre alfalfa, house; a lovely home.

5th. 2 1-2 acres in Smith's ad. to Safford; good house, water in Montezuma canal A bargain.

6th. 1-4 block in Beebe's ad. to Safford on Graham street. Easy terms.

7th. Part or whole block in Beebe.s ad. Easy terms.

8th. 1-2 block in Beebe's ad; on Graham street. Part cash, time on balance.

9th. 160 acres four miles from Safford; 100 acres tillable, 12 acres cleared, house, few trees, under San Jose and Enterprise canals. A bargain.

All of the Frye property, ineluding wind mill, tank, houses, outhouses, etc.

Lot 10, block 2, with all improvements, in Smith's addition to Safford.

SPRING GOODS
Consisting of all kinds of
Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings
JUST RECEIVED.
Come and examine our gonds and prices and we will please you.
H. M. JETER & SON
They are located in B. Palm's Old Building.

Poll Tax Law.

Following is a copy of a poll tax law which passed the Legislature just a few days before its close.

Be it enacted by the Twentieth Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona.

Sec. 1. No recorder, justice of the peace, or other officer authorized to register electors in any of the counties of this territory shall register or take the affidavit for the purpose of registration of any elector within this territory unless such person desiring to be registered shall produce and exhibit to the registering officer a receipt showing that he has paid a poll tax for the year in which he is registering.

Sec. 2. This Act shall not apply to any person who is by law exempt from the payment of poll tax. But in this event the person desiring to register must make affidavit to the facts that entitle him, under the law to an exemption from the payment of a poll tax.

Sec. 3. Any of the registering officers enumerated in Section 1 of this Act and that may hereafter be qualified to register electors, who enters the name of any person upon the Great Register of the county in which he is an officer without requiring the person seeking to be registered to exhibit a poll tax receipt for the year in which he is being registered, or taking the affidavit of such person showing that he is exempt from the payment of a poll tax, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine upon conviction therefor of a sum not less than one hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail not less than thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 4. That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

The firm of P. J. Jacobson & Son has been dissolved, P. J. Jacobson continuing in the mercantile business, while Geo. Jacobson takes control of the saw mill and will continue in the building material business, both domestic and imported. The firm has been successful and there is no reason why the individuals should not be.

*For a quick remedy and one that is perfectly safe for children, let us recommend One Minute Cough Cure. It is excellent for croup hoareness, tickling in the throat and coughs. Safford Drug Co, Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

In front of his new residence that is now in course of construction Mr. James Pusley has set the fence back and constructed a fine sidewalk. Other property owners on the same street should follow Mr. Pursley's example.

Z. C. Prina & Co. informed us that they shipped 50,000 pounds of crushed corn direct from Kansas city to Globe this week. This same firm also unloaded two car loads of wheat received from Phœnix this week.

On Friday C. K. Jenning and Jack Evans started for Washington city, D. C.

BUCKLIN'S ARNICA SALVE.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c. per box. Sold by all dealers in drugs and general merchandise.

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Opposite Post Office, Safford.

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Just South of Depot, Safford
John Sparks, Prop.
A High Grade of Wines, Liquors and Cigars Always in Stock.

Greatest Slaughter
In the History of the War, of prices is now going on at
C. LAYTON & CO'S.
We are Closing out our Complete Stock of MEN'S Clothing at 20 per cent DISCOUNT.
LADIE'S Capes at 25 per cent Discount.
20 YAARDS CALICO FOR $1.00
And Everything Else in Proportion.
The Most Complete Line of Boy's and Youth's Clothing in the Valley, Just Received.
Come early and get your first pick.
A full and complete line of merchandise always on hand.
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CASH
Paid for WHEAT
Z. C. PRINA & CO.,
Successors to JOHN BLAKE & CO.,
Star Roller Flour Mills, Safford, Ariz.
FLOUR BRANDS:
Silver Sheaf Belle of '97 XXXX
Farmers wishing to hold their Wheat for better prices may store it in our Mill, take our receipt, and hold it for a rise in prices, when we will cash it.

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T. K. DAVIS, Mgr.
The Old Reliable and PIONEER DRUG STORE OF THE VALLEY
A Full Stock always kept. Call if you need any
Paints, Oils, Drugs, Patent Medicines,
Or anything kept in a first-class drug store. Pure Whiskey and Alcohol for Medical Purposes. A good Doctor always at the Store.

"The Groesbeck"
Safford, - Arizona
Is the largest Hotel in Graham county, is located conveniently to depot, the rooms are all large, well furnished well lighted and well ventilated, in fact it is a thoroughly equipped modern hotel. Particular attention paid to the comfort and convenience of guests.

All Kinds Of Sausage — Salt Meats
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Safford, Arizona
Beef, Pork and Mutton
Meat will be delivered at Thatcher, Central and Pima and Layton
Fresh Fish and Oysters in Season.
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FROM $18 per 1000 UP, DELIVERED ANYWHERE FROM PIMA TO SOLOMONVILLE
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Best Brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
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